

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application. Please amend claims 7-10, as follows:

1-6. (Canceled).

7. (Currently Amended) A control apparatus ~~comprising configured to:~~
~~a detection means for detecting~~detect a first information processing
apparatus;
~~a request means for requesting~~request, from the first information
processing apparatus, address information of a second information processing
apparatus connected to the first information processing apparatus via a network;
~~a receiving means for receiving~~receive the address information;
~~a registering means for registering~~register the received address
information;
~~a control means for controlling~~control the first information processing
apparatus and the second information processing apparatus;
~~an acquisition means for acquiring~~acquire first operation screen
information for displaying a first operation screen corresponding to the first information
processing apparatus and second operation screen information for displaying a second
operation screen corresponding to the second information processing apparatus; and
~~a display means for displaying~~display the first operation screen and the
second operation screen, wherein

~~the control means controls~~ the second information processing apparatus is controlled, via the first information processing apparatus₁ based on the registered address information.

8. (Previously Presented) The control apparatus according to claim 7,—
wherein further configured to:

~~the acquisition means acquires~~acquire the second operation screen information from the second information processing apparatus via the first information processing apparatus.

9. (Currently Amended) A processor-implemented control method comprising:

detecting, via a remote control apparatus, a first information processing apparatus;

requesting, via the remote control apparatus from the first information processing apparatus, address information of a second information processing apparatus connected to the first information processing apparatus via a network;

receiving the address information;

registering the received address information;

controlling the first information processing apparatus;

acquiring first operation screen information for displaying a first operation screen corresponding to the first information processing apparatus and second

operation screen information for displaying a second operation screen corresponding to the second information processing apparatus;

displaying the first operation screen and the second operation screen; and

controlling, via the remote control apparatus, the second information processing apparatus via the first information processing apparatus based on the registered address information.

10. (Currently Amended) A computer-readable recording medium storing a computer-executable program which, when executed by a processor, performs a method for controlling a first information processing apparatus and a second information processing apparatus, the method comprising:

detecting, via a remote control apparatus, the first information processing apparatus;

requesting, via the remote control apparatus from the first information processing apparatus, address information of the second information processing apparatus connected to the first information processing apparatus via a network;

receiving the address information;

registering the received address information;

controlling the first information processing apparatus;

acquiring first operation screen information for displaying a first operation screen corresponding to the first information processing apparatus and second operation screen information for displaying a second operation screen corresponding to the second information processing apparatus;

displaying the first operation screen and the second operation screen; and
controlling, via the remote control apparatus, the second information
processing apparatus via the first information processing apparatus based on the
registered address information.

11. (Canceled).